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SUBJECT: GREEK CYPRIOT EFFORT TO RAISE REFUGEE ISSUE AT
HUMAN RIGHTS SUB-COMMISSION MEETING

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1. TURKISH EMBASSY COUNSELOR PELIT CALLED ON DEPARTMENT TO REQUEST US SUPPORT IN AVOIDING DISCUSSION AT SUBCOMMISSION MEETING ON PLIGHT OF GREEK CYPRIOTS IN NORTHERN CYPRUS. PELIT STATED THAT CYPRUS GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN ENDEAVORING TO GET THIS ITEM INSCRIBED ON AGENDA (THREE WEEK MEETING BEGINS AUGUST 25) SINCE BEFORE VIENNA III AND THAT SITUATION DESCRIBED IN PROPOSAL IS NOW OUTDATED. HE ADDED THAT SUCH DISCUSSIONS WOULD BE ACRIMONIOUS AND WOULD HAVE UNFAVORABLE EFFECT ON SEPTEMBER DENKTASH-CLERIDES CYPRUS TALKS IN NEW YORK.

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2. DEPARTMENT OFFICER WAS NON-COMMITAL IN RESPONSE. AS IN

CASE OF ARMENIAN QUESTION (REFTEL) DEPARTMENT REQUESTS
MISSION TO BRING VIEWS OF TURKISH COUNSELOR TO AMB. CARTER'S
ATTENTION. WE SHARE HOPE THAT ISSUE WILL NOT BECOME CONTEN-
TIOUS AT MEETING OF SUBCOMMISSION. INGERSOLL

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